

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR  
THE DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS**

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THE HOLMES GROUP, INC.,	)	
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Plaintiff,	)	CA No. 05-CV-11367-REK
	)	(Alexander, M.J.)
v.	)	
	)	
WEST BEND HOUSEWARES, LLC and	)	
FOCUS PRODUCTS GROUP, LLC	)	
	)	
Defendant.	)	
	)	

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**ASSENTED-TO MOTION TO EXTEND TIME WITHIN  
WHICH DEFENDANTS MAY ANSWER OR OTHERWISE RESPOND**

Defendants West Bend Housewares, LLC and Focus Products Group, LLC, with the assent of The Holmes Group, Inc., respectfully request a 30-day extension of time, to and including August 28, 2005, to answer or otherwise respond to the complaint.

**CERTIFICATE UNDER LOCAL RULE 7.1**

I certify that counsel conferred by telephone on July 19, 2005, and that, as a result, the plaintiff, The Holmes Group, Inc., assents to the requested extension.

Dated: July 20, 2005

WEST BEND HOUSEWARES, LLC  
FOCUS PRODUCTS GROUP, LLC  
By their attorneys

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